PUBLIC NOTICE



TOPIC: Wastewater Sludge Land Application Permit

Modification

NOTICE NUMBER: 10-076-M DATE: May 19, 2010

PROPOSAL: Modification of existing Land Application of Sludge Program

(NPDES Permit: SC0020010)

PERMIT APPLICANT: City of Clemson (Cochran Road WWTP)

LOCATION: Land application of treated wastewater sludge in Anderson and

Pickens Counties

SUMMARY: The Department of Health & Environmental Control (DHEC) regulates the discharge of pollutants in South Carolina. Based on the application from the City of Clemson, DHEC proposes to modify/change the land application of sludge approval supplement to the (SC) permit to allow for additional permitted acreage for "Class B" sludge land application in Anderson and Pickens Counties (4 site, approximately 414.4 net acres *-See map below for new sites*), sludge supplement language updates and repagination of the supplement has occurred due to this modification. DHEC believes this permit modification and change will protect the groundwater and comply with the current sludge disposal regulations.

NOTICE PURPOSE: DHEC is seeking public input on this proposed action.

HOW TO COMMENT? DHEC's point of contact is Brenda Green (greenba@dhec.sc.gov, 803-898-3375): Bureau of Water, 2600 Bull Street, Columbia, SC 29201. Comments must be received no later than June 21, 2010. Please identify the notice number (10-076-M) along with written comments. Any individuals with disabilities or special needs who wish to participate or review DHEC's files should contract Brenda Green to discuss any special aids or services required. Additional maps are available upon request; please identify the site of interest.

MORE INFO? DHEC's project file is available for review at the above address and copies can be made for a fee by contacting our Freedom of Information Office (2600 Bull Street, Columbia, SC 29201, 803-898-3882). See map at DHEC website http://www.dhec.sc.gov/environment/water/eqpnbow.htm, then select "NPDES & POTW Pretreatment Program Permits", and select "City of Clemson/Cochran Road WWTP-SC0020010".

MISCELLANEOUS: When there is a significant degree of public interest in a permit or group of permits, DHEC may hold a public hearing. DHEC is not involved in zoning, land use, or property value issues (please contact your local County or Municipal officials for questions or concerns on these issues). All people commenting will receive a response to comments when DHEC makes a permit decision. Please bring this matter to the attention of others who may be interested.

